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Title: Regarding reported leakage of hazardous Ammonia gas from Paradip Phosphates Limited in Paradip, Odisha.

DR. KULMANI SAMAL (JAGATSINGHPUR): Madam, I thank you very much for giving me an opportunity to raise an important issue relating to my parliamentary constituency of Jagatsinghpur, Odisha.

Madam Paradip Port belongs to my parliamentary constituency. After it came up in 1962, many industrial beds have been set up there and PPL is among one of them. Ammonia gas is being used for the production of phosphate for farmers. It has been seen in the last 5-6 years that as and when they are required to release ammonia gas in the atmosphere, it causes harm to the people of the surrounding areas. So, it is my earnest request to the hon. Minister of Chemicals and Fertilizers to see that this Ammonia gas should be released technically so that no harm is caused to the people of my local area.

HON. SPEAKER:

Kunwar Pushpendra Singh Chandel is permitted to associate with the issue raised by Dr. Kulmani Samal.